

# GOETHALS THE TARGET FOR HOT ATTACKS BY ENGINEER

Eustace and Clark Dismissed From Shipping Board By General—Issue Statement Defending Their Wooden Ship Plans

DECLARE CANAL BUILDER ACCUSED THEM FALSELY

Arrangements Made For Lumber For Sixty Vessels On Pacific Coast and Contracts Let For Construction of Two Hundred

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The controversy between General Goethals and the two engineers of the shipping board, Frederick A. Eustace and A. B. Clark, took another turn yesterday when the general dismissed both Eustace and Clark after they had issued a statement charging that he had made use of obstructionist tactics in his opposition to the plan for the construction of one thousand wooden ships to break the German submarine campaign.

On the heels of their dismissal Eustace, who had fathered the wooden ship plan, issued a formal statement in which he declared that he is not loyal to "any one man but to the country and the ideals which the country stands for."

"It is the right of the country to know that it can have the ships it wants them, General Goethals to the contrary notwithstanding. Every statement that I have made," the engineer continued, "is susceptible of verification, and when the general insists that I have misstated a single fact he is saying what he knows to be untrue."

"Personally this means nothing to me more than it means to any other man, but I am sorely afraid that the nation will awake to the peril it is in too late to safeguard its real interests."

The statement of the engineer also included letters from the department of labor officials showing that the medals proposed for the ships are the best for the purpose aimed at because of their cheapness and the rapidity with which they can be constructed.

The corporation which was formed to oversee the construction of these ships has already arranged for the lumber needed for more than sixty of these vessels on the Pacific coast and has let contracts for the construction of 200 ships.

General Goethals while he has not issued a formal reply to the allegations made by Eustace and Clark is understood to stand by his former position that the construction of one thousand wooden vessels is "utterly hopeless." At a recent meeting with steel men, the general declared that "when you consider that the birds are now nesting in the trees, it will go into the making of these vessels—vessels that must attain a speed of ten and one-half knots and several additional knots to escape submarines—why the proposition is simply hopeless." The general added:

"As the shipping built will ultimately go to the merchant marine, if they escape the submarine they should be as far as possible of steel construction."

"The shipyards are full. I have asked for legislation to prevent the laying down of ships for any one but for us. I want to enlist the cooperation and assistance of the structural steel people. I have got to have the cooperation of manufacturers, makers of machinery, chains, wire cables, in fact, everything that goes to make the completed ship; and if what Lloyd George said is true, that ships are going to win the war, everybody who helps build ships will help win the war."

## CHAMBERLAIN'S PAIN BALM.

A touch of rheumatism, or a twinge of sprain, whatever the trouble is, Chamberlain's Pain Balm drives away the pain at once and cures the complaint quickly. First application gives relief. When a bottle of it is kept in the house the pain of burns and bruises quickly healed and swellings promptly reduced. In fact, for the household it is just such an embolism as every family should be provided with. For sale by all Dealers, Benson, Smith & Co., Agents for Hawaii.

# WHEAT CROP UNDER NORMAL Rigid Economy Asked of People

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 9.—That the nation's wheat supply is far below normal is the gist of a formal announcement issued by the department of agriculture last night, following the publication of the estimates of the crop prepared by the department's experts yesterday afternoon. The spring wheat prospects, 283,000,000 bushels, are much better, thanks to recent improvement in the weather.

The department's estimates set the total of the nation's crop of that grain at 636,000,000 bushels. This falls far short of meeting the needs of the American people and their allies, to say nothing of the demands made upon this country by other nations, unless the people of the United States bend every effort to the most rigid economy of wheat flour.

The indications for the corn crop however are much brighter, and the department's figures indicate that the country will have a fairly large corn crop.

Rye promises to break all records for the year, and the estimate for the oat crop indicates that it will be the third largest in the history of the country. Barley also promises well.

# ARMY PROMOTIONS ANNOUNCED AT LAST

Major Generals and Brigadier-Generals Created By Congress

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 8.—The following promotions of army officers were announced today:

To be major-generals—Brig. Gen. John F. Morrison, Brig. Gen. William L. Sibert, Brig. Gen. Charles G. Norton. To be brigadier-generals—Col. Edwin Gleason, Col. John Biddle, Col. Henry Hodges, Jr., Col. Adelbert Cronkite, Col. William Sage, Col. Omar Bundy, Col. Richard Blatchford, Col. David Shanks, Col. Robert Bullard, Col. Augustus Blackson, Col. George Bartlett, Col. Joseph Dickman, Col. Harry Allen, Col. Chase Kennedy, Col. Harry Hale, Col. Samuel Sturgis, Col. William Wright, Col. Peyton Smith.

In the navy Capt. Hugh Rodman was announced as a rear-admiral.

Col. Henry C. Hodges announced rank of brigadier-general is in command of the First Infantry, Schofield Barracks.

# LINER SOUTHLAND IS SUBMARINE VICTIM

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

LONDON, June 8.—The liner Southland has been sunk by a submarine. Three persons are known to have been killed and twenty-eight others are missing.

Five Americans are known to have been saved.

The Southland is doubtless the Red Star liner, formerly the Vaderland.

# NAVAL AVIATORS ARE SENT TO FIGHT HUNS

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Announcement was made here today that United States aviators have been sent to France, possibly for submarine hunting. They are Lieut. Kenneth Whiting, commanding, and Lieut. Godfrey Chevalier, Virgil Griffin and Gratian Dickman.

# AMERICAN ASSISTANCE BALKS TEUTON DIVERS

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

LONDON, June 9.—Thanks to the prompt and generous shipments of supplies from the United States, any prospect for the immediate starving out of the British in the war has been passed. This was the statement made yesterday by Captain Bathurst, of the bureau of food control, in the course of an address on the food situation. Captain Bathurst reiterated former cautions against any waste in food stuffs.

# FORMER HONOLULUAN FOUND DEAD IN BED

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

DENVER, June 8.—Edgar Cayless, formerly of Honolulu, was found dead in his bed at his apartment this afternoon. He leaves a widow and son at Los Angeles.

Mr. Cayless was well known in the Territory shortly after annexation, and was prominent prior to that time for his activities as a "home ruler." He was clerk of the Territorial senate and appeared before committees in Washington on various occasions in connection with island matters. He was defeated as a candidate for circuit judgeship.

# LIBERTY LOAN IS GROWING RAPIDLY

Seven Hundred Million Must Be Subscribed In Nation Between Now and June 15

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

NEW ORLEANS, June 9.—Subscriptions to the "Liberty Loan" have reached the total of one billion three hundred million dollars, it was announced here last night by Secretary of the Treasury Meadood. That leaves \$700,000,000 of the two billion dollar issue still to be subscribed in the seven days that are left before the lists close. Secretary Meadood, who is here in the course of a tour of the country to arouse interest in the loan, urged that efforts be redoubled to have the loan greatly oversubscribed.

# ALLIES CONSOLIDATE THEIR LAST GAINS

Officially Report That 6400 Germans Were Taken Prisoners In Great Smash

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

LONDON, June 9.—The British army in Belgium, under command of General Haig, consolidated yesterday the great gains they made on Thursday when, along a nine-mile front, they exploded a series of gigantic mines, blowing the German defenses to pieces and penetrating their lines for a gain of five miles along the whole nine miles.

Desperate counter attacks launched by the Germans in an attempt to regain Osttaverne and Messines, strong positions that were taken by the British, were hurled back.

More than 6400 prisoners, including 132 officers, have already been counted, according to an official statement issued from headquarters.

Despatches from Berlin admitted "withdrawal" of German forces to prepared positions along the canal north of Hallebeke.

Paris reports that heavy German attacks on the Saint Quentin salient took place yesterday, but were repulsed with heavy losses.

# CANTONMENTS FOR ARMY TO BE RUSHED SWIFTLY

War Department Probably Will Let Contracts Today

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The war department is to make what haste it can to prepare for the great army which the United States intends to raise for fighting the Huns. Yesterday General Littell issued orders to twenty captains in the quartermaster corps to report to him immediately to prepare for the construction of sixteen cantonments. Contracts for the immediate building of seven of these structures for housing Uncle Sam's troops probably will be let today.

# UNCLE SAM URGES HARMONY IN CHINA

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

PEKING, June 8.—United States Minister Paul S. Reinsch today handed the Chinese government a communication from Washington declaring that the United States "with profound regret at the dissensions in China expresses a sincere desire that tranquility and political coordination be forthwith established. The entry of China into the war or the continuance of the status quo are of secondary importance. China's principal necessity is to resume and proceed on the road of national development."

# RUSSIAN WOMEN FORM REGIMENT FOR WAR SERVICE

Two Thousand Girls Enlist and Are Sent To the Front To Fight the Germans Exactly As Their Brothers Have Been Doing

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

PETROGRAD, June 9.—While the army records are filled with official reports of women who have enlisted in the ranks as men and who have fought side by side with their men comrades in the present war, not until yesterday was it announced that a full regiment of Amazons had been enlisted for active war service.

This regiment is composed of two thousand girl students of the Technical Institute, who have enlisted as a regiment and who will leave shortly for the front. The girls will serve under exactly the same conditions as men. They will be commanded by Ensign Batcher.

# UNCLE SAM OPPOSES MONARCHY IN CHINA

State Department Statement Urges Republic To Balk Efforts of the Monarchists

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 9.—It was formally announced last night that the United States is exceedingly anxious to see China balk the attempts that are reported to make that country a monarchy once more through the overthrow of the republic. A statement that effect was issued by the state department, which added that this country is consistently supporting the republican form of government wherever it is found; and that it "regrets the vague suggestions that the troubles which had been reported from China are taking on a monarchical trend."

# MOONEY TRIAL JURY IS FILED AT LAST

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—The jury for the trial of Mrs. Rosa Mooney, charged with the murder of one of the preachers, was finally selected yesterday. The jury, which was to act in case of the illness or death of one of the other twelve, will be elected today.

Mrs. Mooney's husband Tom Mooney, was recently convicted of murder as one of the conspirators and sentenced to death. Warren K. Billings, the first of the five arrested as the bomb plotters, was convicted and, on the recommendation of the jury, sentenced to life imprisonment.

Larnel Weinberg, charged with being the man who drove a jitney bus containing the conspirators and the nitro glycerine to the scene of the explosion at Stewart and Market Street, is still in jail awaiting trial.

Edward Nolan, member of a labor union, also charged with murder as one of the bomb plotters, was recently released on bail.

# ALLEGED FORGER IS HELD FOR TRIAL

Said To Have Put Yee Yap's Name To Check

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

Three true bills were returned in Judge Heen's court yesterday by the territorial grand jury, as follows: Charles South, indicted on a charge of seduction, the alleged offense being said to have been committed on May 6. A girl named Emma Pacheco is mentioned in the indictment. She claims that South had promised to marry her. This she has not done, apparently.

Ah Yee Ho, indicted on two charges of forgery, it being claimed that on April 26 and May 1 the defendant forged the name of Yee Yap to checks for one hundred and one hundred dollars. The two defendants will be arraigned before Judge Heen at nine o'clock this morning, when they may plead to the charges against them.

Owing to the illness of Foreman Edward P. Fogarty, Judge Heen yesterday before the session of the grand jury appointed Ed. Towse as temporary foreman.

# BOOZE FORBIDDEN TO SAILORS AND MARINES

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

WASHINGTON, June 9.—That the prohibition provision in the draft measure applies to the naval and marine forces as well as to the army was the gist of a decision handed down by Attorney General Gregory yesterday.

# GENERAL PERSHING REACHES LONDON

American General and His Staff Warmly Welcomed By Our British Allies

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

LONDON, June 8.—Major-Gen. John J. Pershing, commanding the American forces to be sent to France, and his party arrived at a British port this morning.

Later in the day the party, consisting of 198 officers and men, with attaches, arrived in London. They say they had a delightful and uneventful trip. Their ship was escorted by American destroyers.

They were given a hearty welcome by the Britishers. The famous Welsh Lullies formed a guard of honor for the Americans at the landing stage and were inspected by General Pershing. A British brigadier-general has been assigned as a special aide to Pershing.

After the arrival in London, General Pershing and his aides were welcomed by the American ambassador, Mr. Walter H. Page, Viscount French and Lord Derby. Several floors of a hotel have been set aside as headquarters for General Pershing and his staff of twelve, all being guests of Great Britain.

# SUGAR STOCK SEIZED IN BUENOS AIRES

Step Taken To Check Speculation In the Staple

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

BUENOS AIRES, June 9.—Acting under a government decree, issued yesterday, officials seized all stocks of sugar held in the government warehouses being held there for foreign purchase. It all, forty thousand tons were seized. The official statement issued with the decree explained that the seizure of this sugar is necessary in order to check speculation in sugar futures and to prevent the stocks being hoarded for higher prices.

# National Guard To Accept Tabu On All Intoxicants

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

Whether the prohibition of the sale of liquor to soldiers and sailors in uniform shall be finally interpreted to apply to the national guard or not, it will apply here in Hawaii. The guard has voluntarily agreed to adhere to the same regulation as that which applies to the men in the federal service.

In any event, United States Attorney Huber holds that the law does affect the national guard of this Territory, he contending that it is actually in the federal service. But that ruling is unnecessary. Brigadier-General Samuel I. Johnson issued yesterday the following statement:

"Although there may be some question as to whether a strict interpretation of the new law includes the national guard, it is the intention of the national guard of Hawaii to live up to the evident intent of the law. The national guard under the provisions of the Defense Act of June 3, 1916, is without question part of the military forces of the United States, whether drafted into the federal service or not. If the wording of the new law leaves any loophole for discrimination between regular army and national guard in the matter of purchasing intoxicating liquors, the matter will be corrected by orders from our headquarters, forbidding any officer or enlisted man, in uniform, from purchasing liquor. The guard will conform in every way to the rulings of the regular army in this matter."

Regarding the proposal that the civil population of Hawaii should be placed under the same restrictions as the soldiers, so far as the use of liquor is concerned, Mr. Huber said yesterday that he could see no great necessity of making Hawaii totally dry, nor did he believe the President would single out Hawaii for an executive order of prohibition. But he added that if the present law does not keep liquor away from the members of the military forces, it would be found necessary to make the island dry.

# EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF BAR ASSOCIATION NAMED

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

John W. Catheart, newly elected president of the Bar Association of Hawaii, announced yesterday the members of the executive committee of the organization, appointed by him. They are Alfred L. Castle, chairman; Charles S. Davis, Emil C. Peters, Mason P. Prosser and Judge William L. Whitney.

# JOHNNY KILBANE SIGNS UP FOR FIGHT ON THE FOURTH

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

CLEVELAND, June 9.—Johnny Kilbane and Benny Leonard signed articles yesterday for a twelve-round go to be fought at Canton, Ohio, on July 4. Kilbane is to receive \$12,000 as his share of the purse, with the privilege of accepting a thirty per cent share of the receipts instead.

# CAMPAIGN COST JOE COHEN DEAR

Aspirant For Mayor's Job Paid Out More Than Seven Thousand Dollars In Vain

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

"Joe" C. Cohen, amusement manager and aspirant for mayor, who was among the primary aspirants who didn't connect with the nomination, yesterday filed his statement of campaign expenses with the city clerk. This having been done, City Clerk Kalauokalani and his competent and courteous staff set around it in a ring and regarded it with awe-struck silence.

Cohen, as he modestly confesses in his statement, spent \$7314.70 trying to be mayor of Honolulu.

And he never got further than the primaries! A war-wise politician suggested yesterday that if Cohen had been nominated and continued in the race, the professional runners, watchers at the polls, ward heelers and rag-tag and bob-tail of Honolulu's political arena would have been enabled to retire for life.

It cost John C. Lane something, also, to be defeated for mayor. He filed his returns yesterday and showed that he had spent in the primary and general elections just \$900. Joe Fern, who was elected, has not yet filed his confession, but if there is anything in the present it will probably read something like \$43.29. Fern's election statements usually have only a vague connection with the race he runs.

According to Cohen's statement, \$4047.70 went for "personal expenses." Other items included \$10 for a nomination fee; \$1704 for printing and advertising; \$280 for postage and stationery; \$600 for public meetings; \$246 for rent of buildings, etc.; \$288 for clerks and messengers, and \$124 for watchers at the polls.

It had every earmark of being an honest statement, and, as such, is liable to be framed in Kalauokalani's collection of political loot hopes.

Lane's statement shows \$800 for personal expenses and \$25 for public meetings, practically all of which was for the primary.

Other campaign statements filed yesterday were as follows: Lester Petrie, Democrat, elected, \$55.50; Daniel Logan, Republican, defeated, \$121.75; E. A. Mott-Smith, Republican, elected, \$230.55; Clarence D. Prince, Democratic candidate for nomination for mayor in the primaries and there defeated, \$93; William Larsen, Republican, defeated in the primaries, \$55.

# ANTHRAX VICTIM CURED BY SERUM

A. G. Pestana Discharged From the Quarantine Station After Effective Treatment

Antonio Gomes Pestana, the laborer who was taken down with anthrax two weeks ago in the quarantined district in Moiliili, was discharged yesterday from the Kalaiki Quarantine Station, where he had been under treatment since he developed the disease.

Kirk B. Porter, acting president and secretary of the territorial board of health, said yesterday that Pestana was completely cured. The serum which was injected into the patient did its work well and effectively, Mr. Porter said.

There have been no further deaths of animals from anthrax in the quarantined district in Moiliili, the boundaries of which have been drawn in gradually, thus reducing considerably the area of the quarantined section. It is believed that the board of health authorities have the situation well in hand and that the epidemic has fully run its course.

The board of health will probably meet on June 28 to consider, among other things, the anthrax situation. At that time it is believed that all danger will have been passed and that the quarantine will be lifted entirely.

# Social Glass vs. Kidneys



Strong drinks like beer, whisky, tea and coffee, irritate the kidneys and habitual use tends to weaken them. Daily backache, with headache, nervousness, dizzy spells and a rheumatic condition should be taken as a warning of kidney trouble. Cut out, or at least moderate the stimulant, and use Doan's Backache Kidney Pills. They are fine for weak kidneys. Thousands recommend them.

"When your back is lame—remember the name." Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Backache Kidney Pills and take no other. Doan's Backache Kidney Pills are sold by all druggists and storekeepers at 50c a box (six boxes \$2.50). They will be mailed on receipt of price by the Hollister Drug Co., or Benson-Smith & Co., agents for the Hawaiian Islands. Advertisement.

# THOUSANDS MAY BE VICTIMS OF EARTHQUAKE AT SAN SALVADOR

Capital of Little Central American Republic Reported Destroyed By Tremor and the Eruption of a Nearby Volcano

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

SAN JUAN DEL SUR, Nicaragua, June 9.—Sixty thousand people are homeless and thousands are believed to be dead in San Salvador, the little capital of Salvador Republic, on the shores of the Pacific.

Such is the bare news that has reached this city following the report of a volcanic eruption and earthquake that destroyed the city. No details have come through from the stricken district, owing to the destruction of all means of communication. It is, however, now known that for thirty miles around the city there is a zone of devastation.

The refugees are reported to be camping in the parks and open places of the shattered city, and one report says that torrential rains are falling, adding to the misery of the homeless thousands.

While it is not known definitely it is believed that Mount San Salvador, the volcano on the sides of which the city is constructed, has erupted.

This is the eighth recorded destruction of the capital of this little Central American Republic, the history of San Salvador running back some three hundred years. Three times previously during the past hundred years earthquakes have leveled the city, while scarcely a day passes there when earth tremors and oscillations are not felt.

The Republic, which is smaller in area than the State of New Jersey, contains twenty active volcanoes, the greatest and most famous of which is Irazu, known to mariners on the Pacific Coast as the Light House of Salvador. This volcano was born in modern times, before the eyes of many observers. Its site was formerly a level plain; dotted here and there with fumaroles and seamed with sulphur fissures and steam cracks. On the night of February 23, 1770, the earth opened and began to emit great quantities of lava and ashes. Since then the volcano has been constantly in action, eruptions taking place about every half hour.

In the one hundred and forty-seven years of its existence it has built up a mountain more than 6000 feet high and it is constantly growing.

San Salvador is situated some distance back from the coast, in the midst of the volcanic field, life along the coast being almost impossible because of the great storms which sweep it from the south, when torrential rains are frequently accompanied by cyclones.

The capital, the population of which is given at 60,000, is situated directly on the side of a volcano, with the same name as the city. It is a fairly modern city, a bishopric, and having a university, a cathedral, a national museum and national library and other substantial public buildings. Its one exit towards the sea is by a ninety mile railroad to the main Salvadoran port of Amajuitla.

Grain shortage is alarming to Berlin.

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

COPENHAGEN, June 8.—News has been received here that the rapid dwindling in the supply of grain in the Central nations is the cause of a Teutonic food conference now being held in Berlin.

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# TWO AMERICANS DROWNED WHEN BRITISHER SANK

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

LONDON, June 9.—Two Americans lost their lives in the sinking of the Manchester Miller on June 5, it is now definitely known. The steamer was torpedoed without warning.